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TOPIC Cottbus Airfield

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1. On 2 January 1952, a twin-engine plane with a nose wheel flew at Cottbus airfield. Local residents said that jet planes were located at the field. On 29 January, there was flying by [REDACTED] twin-engine Pe-2s whose rudder assemblies were recently painted half yellow and half black. The visibility was good and the weather was partly cloudy. 25X1

2. On 2 February, the field was occupied by 3C Pe-2s, 2 jet bombers [REDACTED] and 1 twin-engine plane with a nose wheel [REDACTED]. New flying personnel had arrived at the field. * 25X1

- * [REDACTED] Comment. The report confirms the occupation of Cottbus airfield by Pe-2s, two jet bombers and a B-25 fitted with nose wheels. [REDACTED] 25X1

[REDACTED] The jet planes were apparently turned over to the regiment at Cottbus airfield by the Northern Air Div. 25X1

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